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Brains Alone Are of No Value Unless There Is Pep Enough Behind To Keep Them Going and Judgment To Stop Them From Jumping the Track

ALL DELEGATES IN EMPIRE STATE UNRESTRICTED

Hoover and Johnson Both Lost
in Primary Elections

ORGANIZATION VICTORY

Pledged Candidates for Delegate-at-Large and District Delegates
Apparently Badly Beaten

New York, April 7.—Herbert Hoover and Senator Hiram W. Johnson were unsuccessful in their efforts to elect delegates to the Republican National Convention in the New York State primaries yesterday. The organization won out all along the line and elected its slate of eight delegates at large and four delegates at large, and an equal number of alternates.

William M. Bennett, running as a candidate for delegate-at-large on a Johnson pledge, was beaten by about four to one in New York city. He was snowed under up-State.

Two candidates for district delegates in the Seventeenth Congress district, who were pledged to Hoover, were beaten by about two to one. These were the only Hoover candidates running in the state.

Hiram Johnson had candidates running in twelve Congress districts in New York city, but the indications at midnight were that they had lost out in every district.

There were no contests on national delegates in the Democratic primaries.

The delegates at large elected by each party follow:

Delegates at Large
Republican—J. W. Wadsworth, Jr., William M. Calder, Nathan L. Miller, William B. Thompson.
Democratic—Alfred E. Smith, Elizabeth Marbury, Harriet May Mills, Louis E. Desbecker.

C. V. COLLINS WINS

Defeated Danforth Geer for Committee.

Troy, April 7.—Former Comptroller Frank H. Miter, wrested the position of state committee member of the first assembly district of Rensselaer county from James J. Child in the Republican primaries, yesterday, obtaining a majority of 120 votes.

With nine districts in the rural section of the county still unheard from returns indicate that C. V. Collins obtained re-election to the Rensselaer state committee, winning from Danforth Geer of Hoosick Falls by a majority of about 2000 votes.

Miter's advantage of approximately 450 votes in Lansingburgh could not be overcome by Child in the remaining city wards.

Geer carried Hoosick Falls by 342 votes while Collins won by a margin of 311 votes in the city of Rensselaer but the former state superintendent of prisons had a majority of 672 votes in the wards in Troy included in the second assembly district.

ESSEX WINS RACE

In Competition With Scores of Other Cars in Montana.

Defeating scores of other cars, an Essex won the right to file the first notice on a section of government land near Choteau, Montana. The occasion of the race was the recent signing of the oil leasing bill by President Wilson. This threw open a tract of government land which was considered valuable because of its oil possibilities.

Throughout that section of Montana great preparations were made to invade the tract the instant it was thrown open to the most valuable locations. It was a case of first come, first served, so a young attorney who wished to file a claim enlisted the aid of Dr. H. J. McGregor, an Essex owner.

When the word came that the bill had been signed, the race began. The Essex was the first car to reach the tract, covering 30 miles of snow covered roads in 36 minutes, thereby gaining oil rights which may be worth a fortune.

SENSATIONAL CASE ENDED

By Surrender of \$15,000 in Bonds to Widow of C. H. Lalor.

Rutland, April 7.—After having occupied the attention of Rutland county court for a week, the case of Mrs. Margaret Sullivan Lalor vs. Mrs. Annie T. Capps of this city was settled by agreement outside of court late Monday.

The case involved possession of \$20,000 in Liberty bonds formerly the property of the late Charles H. Lalor, husband of the plaintiff, which, it was alleged, the defendant held wrongfully. Mrs. Capps, who is a sister of the late Mr. Lalor, agrees to surrender \$15,000 in bonds, it is understood. A lot of evidence had been introduced to show Lalor gave away the securities while drunk.

J. G. HACKETT NAMED

Acting General Passenger Agent of Rutland Railroad.

Rutland, April 6.—The circular issued by George T. Jarvis, vice-president and general manager of the Rutland railroad, announces the appointment of John G. Hackett, as acting general passenger agent of the road, vice F. T. Grant, who resigned recently to become general passenger agent for the Boston & Maine railroad.

CAPT. YORK FEELS 20 YEARS YOUNGER

Gains Sixteen Pounds And Is
Back On Job Since Taking
Tanlac.

"I am now sixty-nine years of age, and during all those years I have never run across medicine that I consider in a class with Tanlac," said Joseph A. York, of 221 High Street Portland, Maine.

Mr. York has been prominently identified with the business and civic interests of Portland for fifty-two years. He is also popular in fraternal order circles, is now Captain of Canton Ridgely Lodge No. 1, Odd Fellows, and is highly esteemed by all who know him.

"I have just finished my fourth bottle of Tanlac," continued Mr. York, "and have been benefited even beyond my expectations. Besides gaining sixteen pounds in weight I have been built up and strengthened until I feel all of twenty years younger."

"For the past two years I have been in a miserably run down condition and was compelled a short time ago to give up my work, as I was too weak to stand it any longer. I felt worn out all the time and would get up mornings even more tired than on going to bed at night. I could eat scarcely anything and what I did force down caused bloating and the worst sort of pains in my stomach. The pains were so severe at times I actually thought I would die. My nerves were so unsettled that the least thing worried me and I could never get a good night's sound sleep."

"There were days when I felt that I was suffering with about a dozen different ailments. I had lost interest in everything and felt so bad that I didn't seem to care whether 'school kept or not.' The ordinary treatment failed to help me, and as I had read so many statements from people I know here in Portland, I got me some Tanlac. I know now for myself what it will do, for I simply feel like I have taken a new lease on life. I have never felt better and am able to look after my work as usual. I am eating three hearty meals a day, and yet I am hungry all the time. My food agrees with me perfectly, for I eat just anything I want and never feel a touch of indigestion. My nerves are as steady as a clock, and I sleep as sound as a child all night, never waking up until someone calls me in the morning. I am glad to give the facts about my case for publication for the benefit of others who are needing Tanlac as I did."

TANLAC is sold in Bennington by W. L. Gokay.—Advertisement.

Pity Posterity.

A Boston doctor says that in 50 years people will be too civilized to well, who cares? Very few of them will be caring much about kissing 30 years.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

BASEBALL SEASON OF 1920.

Organization	Opening	Closing	No. of Games.
National League	April 14	Oct. 3	154
American League	" 14	" 3	154
American Association	" 14	" 3	168
International League	" 21	Sept. 19	154
Pacific Coast League	" 6	Oct. 17	196
Southern League	" 14	Sept. 18	154
Western League	" 20	" 19	154
Eastern League*	" 28	" 15	130
Central League*	" 29	" 12	140
Three-I-League	" 29	" 12	140
New England League*	" 22	" 7	128
South Atlantic League	" 21	" 8	124
Piedmont League	" 22	" 6	140
Western Association	" 22	" 11	118
Mich'gan-Ontario League	May 11	" 11	118
Pacific International	" 5	" 6	124
Virginia League	April 22	" 11	120
West Texas League	" 30	" 6	130
South Dakota League	May 18	" 11	90
Blue Ridge League	" 21	" 6	100
Louisiana State League	April 20	" 6	122

*Schedule not definitely settled.

VILLAGE ADOPTS CEMENT PAVING FOR NEW ROADS

Selects Engineer to Plan and Supervise Construction

BRAZELL HEADS POLICE

Edgar S. Buss Elected Street and Sewer Commissioner and Tree Warden with \$35 a Week Salary

The village trustees at their regular monthly meeting last evening adopted concrete as the material to be used in constructing the permanent highways voted at the annual village meeting, virtually agreed upon the selection of an engineer to take charge of the work, elected Patrick Brazell chief of police, elected Edgar S. Buss street commissioner and sanctioned a considerable amount of routine business.

President Morrissey presided at the meeting which was attended by Trustees Warner, Lighthill, McGill, Howard, Bergeron, Buchanan and Estes and Clerk Hogan and Corporation Attorney Chase.

Representatives of Bennington post, American Legion, appeared before the board and submitted the following relative to the proposed changes in the names of village streets:

"In accordance with the resolution adopted at the village meeting, that the names of eight streets be changed according to recommendations of Bennington post, of the American Legion, the post submits the following recommendations: South Branch to R. A. Warn, Beech to L. A. Bont, Pleasant to G. A. Larin, Maple to A. G. Catton, Elm to F. C. Horst, Silver to F. W. Towsey, Union to G. I. Osterle, County to H. J. Ruggs."

The young men were informed that it would be necessary to give public notice of the proposed changes and also provide an opportunity for residents of the streets named to appear and express their objections to the changes before they could be made.

Frank E. Howe appeared before the board and requested that South street be given consideration by the sidewalk committee this year. He was informed that his was the first application.

William H. Willis and H. A. Wilkinson appeared before the board in relation to the industrial compensation insurance which is carried by the village as an employer of labor. Later in the evening the board voted to renew the policy carried during the past year.

Mr. Willis also took up the matter of a recent communication from W. D. Davol, special agent of the Fire Insurance Exchange complaining of the conditions existing at the Stark Hose company house and intimating that the exchange would take steps to increase the insurance rates in the congested district of Bennington unless measures are taken to improve conditions. E. Burton Powers, foreman, and several members of the Stark Hose company were present and were interrogated by the corporation attorney. The foreman stated that steps had been taken to improve the personnel of the company and a list of the names of the members was submitted. The matter was referred to the fire committee for investigation.

Mr. Willis stated that he would make an effort to secure the presence of a representative of the office of the state fire warden for a conference here in the near future. Residents of East Main street and Dewey street extension appeared before the board and made request for extension of the village water system mains. It was voted to first extend both the water and the sewer main on East Main street and to go as far on Dewey as extension with the work as the appropriation would permit.

Judge E. H. Holden appeared before the board and called attention to the present location of the honor roll. Now that the town has acquired property in the recent purchase of a site for a town hall, Judge Holden suggested that the roll be removed when necessary across the street. The roll is at present on government property and order to remove it may be received at any time.

A representative of the National Concrete association appeared before the board and gave an interesting talk upon the advantages of concrete paving. Later in the evening when the board adopted a resolution selecting concrete as the material for the new highway construction consideration was given the present condition of railroad transportation which, it was believed, would make it practically impossible to secure brick enough to complete any considerable portion of the work during the present year.

The board then took up the selection of the elective officers. Edgar S. Buss was unanimously elected street commissioner, sewer commissioner and tree warden and the compensation was fixed at not more than \$35 a week for the three offices. For regular policemen there were four applications, Richard J. Hurley, Patrick Brazell, A. J. Griffin and James Morrissey. The elections were made on single ballots and Mr. Brazell received seven votes, Mr. Griffin and Mr. Morrissey five each and Mr. Hurley four. The village by-laws

RAISINS WRECK BUILDING

Home-Made Wine Makes Bad Mus in New York.

New York, April 5.—A handful of raisins, ordinarily harmless, tonight wrecked a fruit store on the upper East Side, and shattered enough glass to bring neighboring families to the street with valuables and other belongings.

After police reserves had restored order, John Calanto, the store owner, explained that he had a hoghead of home-made wine which "was not coming along quick enough," according to the police. Yesterday he added more raisins, he said, but forgot to make airholes in the cover.

WEATHER FORECAST.

Fair and somewhat colder tonight and Thursday.

LOCAL OVERFLOW

Edward Baker of Branch street has purchased a Ford touring car.

There will be no basket ball practice for the older girls at the Y. M. C. A. tonight.

Miss Eleanor Sibley, librarian, who received the Easter vacation with her mother, Mrs. E. L. Sibley, has returned to Brooklyn.

Miss Edith Sibley has returned to Middlebury college, after having passed the Easter recess with her mother, Mrs. E. L. Sibley.

The meeting of the Portnightly club which was to have been held Saturday has been postponed one week. It will take place Saturday, April 17.

Miss Belle Thompson and Miss Pauline Hathaway have returned to the schools in Wilmington after passing the winter vacation at their home here.

Giles Harbour and son L. B. Harbour have bought the grocery business of W. E. Paddock on River street. They will conduct the business in the future under the firm name of L. B. Harbour & Co.

The annual election of officers of the Mt. Anthony Lodge F. and A. M. was held Tuesday evening at the Masonic Temple. The officers elected were as follows: Worshipful Master, Karl O. Estes, re-elected; senior warden, W. G. Toward; secretary, H. Wells Person; treasurer, J. O. Burt. The junior warden will be elected later and remaining officers will be appointed.

It was stated that the village may elect three regular policemen and accordingly Messrs. Brazell, Griffin and Morrissey were declared elected regular policemen. When balloting the chief of police Mr. Brazell received six votes and Mr. Morrissey one vote and Mr. Brazell was declared the choice of the board for chief.

Patrick Parrott and Burt Elliot were elected special police to serve without pay.

Corporation Attorney Chase presented a written proposal from H. Eltnge Bred of New York city to take full charge and supervision of the proposed street improvements authorized by the voters at the annual village meeting and a resolution was adopted accepting the proposal and the corporation attorney was instructed to draw up a formal contract with the engineer. The resolution also authorized the clerk to advertise for bids for the construction work as soon as plans and specifications could be prepared.

The clerk brought up the matter of the releasing of the village dumping ground and stated that the owner of the present site, Elmer F. Rockwood, had offered the rental from \$30 to \$50 and the care of the rubbish from \$20 to \$25. The matter was referred to the general committee.

T. A. Davenport was given a permit to construct a garage on his property on G. and view street.

Agitor Maroux was granted a permit to build a piazza at his house on Main street under the direction of the chairman of the fire committee.

John Mezonitti was granted a permit to repair a shed in the rear of his premises on Mill street.

The clerk was instructed to advertise for bids for sidewalk construction.

The fire committee was instructed to make certain repairs at the Eagle Hotel company house.

When the meeting adjourned it was with the understanding that it was subject to the call of the president.

The clerk was instructed to draw his orders for the following bills: E. E. La rabe, mkr., lights \$531.42; Hosea Brooks, team 75.00; Richard Hurley, police 46.80; Patrick Brazell, police 44.80; A. J. Griffin, police 24.00; W. P. Hogan, clerk, election expenses 255.10; E. T. Griswold, supplies 1.35; H. D. Fillmore, auditing 21.00; John A. Connelly, auditing 28.00; Rickert & Miller, rent 25.00; Winslow & Craven, work 78.32; Lafayette Lyons, booths 25.00; Bennington Garage, supplies 4.40; George H. Moore, hay 76.95; Frank E. Howe, adv. village warning 17.00; Abe Satter, supplies 6.07; W. P. Hogan, salary 70.83; Mrs. M. B. Burnham, supplies 23.79; H. W. Putnam, feed 28.90; Chas. T. Burt, supplies 20.30; Fred Rice, repairs 8.00; Chas. A. Wood, supplies 64.25; Kathryn Morrissey, supplies 45.00; Homer A. Lyons, storage 8.00; New Eng. Tel. Com. telephone 8.65; Perry & Keeseam, supplies 168.60; H. H. Warren, supplies 36.00; Robert E. Philling, labor 3.00; Robert Dempsey, supplies 5.75; H. W. Myers & Son, supplies 254.69; Home Furniture Com. rent 5.00; O. W. Davis, work 1.43; A. H. Winslow, supplies 28.75; The H. M. Tuttle Com. coal 18.17; E. H. Ferguson, salary 15.05; Chas. Longtin, work 15.05.

JOHNSON FORGES AHEAD OF WOOD IN MICHIGAN

Californian Leads General by
44,000 Votes in Primary

LOWDEN IS IN THIRD PLACE

Johnson Carries Six of the 13 Congressional Districts but Expected Lead Will Be Reduced

Detroit, April 6.—Returns from 1,428 precincts out of 2,421 in the state on both Republican and Democratic tickets showed little change early tonight in the race between Senator Hiram W. Johnson and Major-General Leonard Wood for the Republican presidential endorsement of Michigan voters. While Governor Edwards of New Jersey, forged ahead of Herbert Hoover on the Democratic ticket.

Figures for the leaders were: Republican—Johnson, 117,456; Wood 73,222.

Governor Lowden's total was 38,208 and the Republican vote for Hoover, whose name appeared on both Republican and Democratic tickets was 37,529. Late tabulations were not available on General Pershing and Senator Miles. Polinder who had received early today, 5,512 and 894 respectively. Senator Johnson on the face of the incomplete returns, carried six of the thirteen congressional districts, and was trailing closely behind Wood in the remaining seven which comprise for the most part sections General Wood's supporters were expecting to show a comfortable margin.

New York, April 6.—Senator Hiram Johnson, now in this city, late today issued the following statement regarding the outcome of the Michigan primaries:

"I am terribly grateful to the people of Michigan for this remarkable victory. The fight there was against organized politics and organized exploitation of capital, and the result demonstrates that an American whose only attributes are those that God gave him can meet and whip these forces."

"We have done it. Michigan was the first big popular test. Heretofore we have had preferential primaries in North Dakota, which I won, and the preferential primary in South Dakota, which Wood won. Also a trick primary in Minnesota, which I never-theless won."

"Michigan is the first of the big states which had on the ballots only the names of the candidates. Of course I am pleased at the result."

RESOLUTION TO END WAR

Will Probably Be Adopted By the Senate Friday.

Washington, April 6.—The majority report of the Foreign Affairs Committee favoring the passage of a resolution declaring peace with Germany was submitted today to the House by Representative G. Porter (Pa.), chair man, while Democrats on the floor were directing a bitter attack against the constitutionality of the measure. Representative Mondell (Wyo.), the Republican leader, answered the Democratic attack with the assertion that it was nothing more than "the popping of pickets," and that the peace resolution was certain to pass the House later in the week.

The report of the Republican leader declares emphatically that it is the plain duty of Congress to declare the admitted fact that the war is ended.

"The general welfare of the United States imperatively demands that all uncertainty upon this subject shall cease, and that the extraordinary war powers of the Government shall be vacated and set aside," the report states. "Many of these laws are extremely drastic and could be justified only as war necessities; but since the war, in fact, has long since ceased, the justification for these laws no longer exists."

HIGH WIND BREAKS CROSS

Blown From Tower of Notre Dame Victories and Broken on Ground St. Johnsbury, April 5.—During the high wind Saturday afternoon the large gilded cross, which has surmounted the tower of the Notre Dame des Victories church since 1440 was built in 1388, was blown to the ground and broken in many places a few feet from the church rectory. The cross was about 12 feet high. The tower of this beautiful church rises 193 feet and is the highest tower in town.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY.

WANTED—Men or Women, salary \$24 full time, 60c an hour spare time, selling guaranteed hosiery to weaver. Experience unnecessary. Guaranteed Mills, Norristown, Pa. 7111*

WANTED Six young cows. Guernseys or other grade preferred, freshening between April first and May first. Must be first class heavy milkers. Other breeds, not Holsteins, considered. What have you to sell? Phone 27-W MacNaughtan's, Manchester, Vt. 7111*

FOR SALE—Horses from yearlings up, some broke, single or double, light or heavy. Charles A. Breese, R. F. D. 2, Hoosick Falls, N. Y. Tel. 929-14.

MRS. B. M. PETTIBONE DEAD.

Well-Known Resident Passed Away Suddenly Last Night.

Mrs. Byron M. Pettibone, one of the well known and highly respected residents of the village, passed away at her home on School street shortly before 11 o'clock last evening. The attending physician stated the cause of death to have been uric acid shock.

Mrs. Pettibone retired early last evening apparently in perfect health. Shortly afterward she became suddenly ill. A physician who was immediately summoned found her condition critical and asked for assistance. Before the second physician could arrive the patient passed away.

The deceased was a native of Mount Holly where she was born 49 years ago. Twelve years ago she was married at Pownal to Byron M. Pettibone and they have since resided in Bennington. She was a kind-hearted, neighborly woman who easily made friends and the news of her sudden taking away will be received with the deepest regret in the community.

Only recently she had moved to a new home on School street and was intensely interested in her plans for the future. Other than her husband she is survived by one sister, Mrs. Nellie Knight of Rutland and one brother, Harry Earl of America, Tex. She also leaves two nieces, Mrs. Pearl M. Holland and Mrs. A. Phibrick of Rutland and one nephew, Fred Earl of Boston.

The funeral announcement will be made in Thursday's Banner.

LITTLE CHANGE IN REGISTRY

A Few More Automobiles Registered This Year Than Last.

Montpelier, April 5.—The secretary of state has issued a comparative statement showing a very little difference in the number of automobiles registered the first three months this year as compared with last year. In the first instance the total number issued is 10,946 against 10,551 in 1919.

STATE PURCHASING AGENT

C. W. Buckley Appointed in Place of W. E. Poole.

Montpelier, April 5.—C. W. Buckley of St. Albans has been appointed assistant to the state purchasing agent taking the place of W. E. Poole, who recently resigned. Mr. Buckley has operated a printing plant in St. Albans for some years and has been in the printing business about 30 years.

**ITALY WILL NOT JOIN
MILITARY MOVEMENT**

But Cabinet Has Decided to Extend Moral Support to France in Occupation of German Cities.

Rome, April 6.—Popoli Romano said yesterday that at a cabinet meeting Monday the government decided to extend to France Italy's moral support in the French occupation of Frankfurt and other German cities.

The cabinet agreed, however, that under no circumstances would Italy be a party to any military measures against Germany, the newspaper states.

PLAYED WILLIAM TELL

Small Boy Killed By Two Older Companions.

South Norwalk, Conn., April 6.—George Frederick, 8 years old, was shot in the head and killed here this morning while playing with Rushe Mansey, 13 years old, and Patrick Gazzo, 15. The boys had been reading the story of William Tell and decided to see if one of them could shoot an apple off the other's head.

Young Gazzo and Mansey, each says the other fired the fatal shot. A 22-calibre rifle was used.

BARGAINS

All kinds of spices	pkg. 10c
Cream of Tartar	pkg. 16c
Parowax	lb. 16c
Apple Jelly	jar 13c
Nacco Mustard	jar 10c
Stuffed Olives, 6 1/2 oz. bottle	22c
Instant Postum, large can	43c
Instant Postum, small can	24c
Bon Ami, cake or powder	9c
Carnation Evaporated Milk	can 16c
Armour's Evaporated Milk	can 14c
Libby's Condensed Milk	can 14c
Pure Lard	lb. 27c
Compound Lard	lb. 25c

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August 1, 1920, the unearned advance 3 per cent collected on all mutual policies in force in this Company will be credited on the assessments to be collected at that time.

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